Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LD.

TOTICE is hereby given that the

SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will

be held at the Hongkong Dispensary, on

MONDAY, the 2nd day of May next, at 3

o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose

Manager, together with a Statement of Ac-

H. A. WOOLNOUGH,

Secretary.

counts to the 31st December, 1886.

Transfer of Shares can be registered.

NOTICE.

PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA

- SAMANTAN MINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

will be CLOSED from the 27th May to the

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT

EIGHT PER CENT. LOAN OF 1881.

EIGHTH AND LAST DRAWING.

NOTICE is hereby given that all the

N BONDS of the above LOAN now

Par at the Offices of the Hongkong AND

SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on the

thereon will Cease to be payable.

on that date.

A. O'D. GOURDIN,

Secretary.

3rd June, 1887, both days inclusive.

GLASGOW FIRM, with Practical

Hongkong, April 23, 1887.

mission. First-class references.

Street,' care of this Office.

Hongkong, April 11, 1887.

after the 3rd day of June, 1887.

Hongkong, April 16, 1887.

Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

1.PAID-UP. CAPITAL,......87,500,000

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-

W. H. F.DARBY, Esq.

H. Hoppius, Esq.

balance.

On Fixed Deposits:-

Exchange business transacted.

Reserve Fund,......\$4,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman-M. GROTE, Esq.

Deputy Chairman-O. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq.

Hon, J. Bell Irving. | E. H. M. Hunting-

H. L. DALRYMPLE, Hon. A. P. McEWEN.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong,.....THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER.

Shanghai,......Ewan Cameron, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

For 3 months, 3 per cent, per annum.

11 4 per cent. 11

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

and every description of Banking and

Credits granted on approved Securities,

Drafts granted on London, and the

JOHN WALTER.

Acting Chief Manager.

chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

NOTIOE.

TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG

SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will

2.—Sams less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No

3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per

5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

in any one year.

their daily balances.

Hongkong and China.

are necessary.

be conducted by the Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their

premises in Hongkong. Business hours

on weak-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

\$100 or more at their credit may at

their option transfer the same to the

Hongkong and Shaughai Banking Cor-

poration on fixed deposit for 12 months

annum will be allowed to depositors on

with a Pass-Book which must be pre-

sented with each payment or with-

drawal. Depositors must not make

any entries themselves in their Pass-

Australia, America, China and Japan.

Hougkong, February 26, 1887.

N Current Deposit Account at the rate

of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily

5 per cent. n

Acting Chief Manager -- JOHN WALTER, Esq.

TON, Esq.

A. Molver, Esq.

Hon. F. D. SASSOON,

Notices of Firms.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

OANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

TR. DOUGLAS JONES has been at

VI pointed Acring Secretary of the

N. J. EDE.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

Society during the Absence of the Under-

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSESSETTY OF

SIEMSSEN in our Firm ceased on the

24th November, 1886, and that of Mr.

PAUL GERHARD HUBBE on the 31st

to Sign our Firm per Procuration from this

Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THIRD PRIZE MEETING.

TO be held at the Kowloon Ranges or

the 29th and 30th April, commoncing

Rifles or Carbines. Open to all Comers.

Distance 300 and 500 yards, 5 Shots

at each distance. Position any. 15

Prizes ranging from \$20 to \$3, present-

500 yards, 7 Shots at each distance.

Position any. Open to all Members.

Prizes Two Cups. All Winners at

former meetings excluded. Entrance

Rifles or Carbines. Open to Members of Hongkong Club, who are Members

of the Association. Distance 200 and

500 yards, 7 Shots at each distance.

Position any. Cup presented by E. L.

at each. Position any. Open to all

to Hongkong Volunteers only, whether

Woodin, Esq. Entrance Fee \$2.00.

FOURTH COMPETITION: Sweepstakes. Mar-

Association. Entrance Fee 85.

THIRD COMPETITION :- For Martini-Henry

A LAUNCH will leave Peddar's Wharf

First Competition: -- For Martini-Henry

meeting. Entrance Fee 50 Cents.

the late Mr. GEORG THEODOR

By Order of the Board,

December, 1886.

Hongkong and China,

each day at 10.30 a.m.

each day at 9.30 a.m.

Fee \$2.00.

14th February, 1887.

Hongkong, April 26, 1887.

Established February, 1845.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

of receiving the Report of the General The Company's Stonmer The REGISTER of SHARES will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 30th above Ports on THURSDAY, the 28th Inst. April, to MONDAY, the 2nd May, both at Noon. days inclusive, during which period no

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG.

Hougkong, April 26, 1887.

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, April 26, 1887.

HOLDERS of the above Company that in pursuance of Article 11 of the Com-LIMITED. pany's Articles of Association a FINAL CALL of \$5 PER SHARE will be made on FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW, the 3rd day of June, 1887, Payable at the

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR-The Co.'s Steamship And further that INTEREST at the Rate of 10 PER CENT. per Annum will be Charged on ALL CALLS which shall remain UNPAID The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

FOR SINGAPORE.

The Steamship the 28th Inst., at 4 p.m.

Hongkong, April 20, 1887.

THE GIBB LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN, and taking through Cargo for BRISBANE, ADELAIDE, TASMANIA, NEW ZEALAND, &c.)

The British Steamer Chelydra. Captain Prace, having arrived, with part Cargo from Japan, will be despatched as above at 4 p.m. on FRIDAY, the 29th Instant. The Steamer has excellent Accommodation for First-class Passengers, and is fitted

with the Electric Light. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers.

Hongkong, April 26, 1887.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND

SOURABAYA. VIA SAIGON AND SINGAPORE. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Scholin, will be despatched as above

on or about the 29th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agenti.

日五初月四年亥丁

Shipping. Shipping. Steamers.

Captain H. Lightwood, will be despatched for the Phra Chula Chom Klao.

FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT.)

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM. Experience of the HARDWARE and Engineers' Tool Trades, is prepared to act in England for good Houses on Com-The Company's Steamer

Captain P. HAYE, will be despatched for the above Replies to be addressed, 57 'Hope Port on THURSDAY, the 28th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to

YUEN FAT HONG. TOTICE is hereby given to the SHARE-

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

Capt. S. Ashton, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 28th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, April 26, 1887.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO. TIENTSIN. NEW-CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on

the YANGTSZE.) Remaining UNDRAWN will be paid off at The Co.'s Steamship Fooksang,
Captain Hone, will be
despatched as above on

24th day of April, 1887, when the Interest THURSDAY, the 28th Instant, at 4 p.m. The INTEREST due on the said Bonds For Freight or Passage, apply to on the 24th day of April, 1887, will be paid JARDINE. MATHESON & Co., Bonn Holdens can be supplied with the General Managers. Numbers of the Bonds remaining Undrawn

Hongkong, April 25, 1887.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking

STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE COY., Lo. A PPLICATIONS for the Post

A SECRETARY to the above Com-

panies, addressed to LOUIS R. GLASS, Esq., CHAIRMAN, Straits Insurance Company, Limited, Singapore, will be Received till the 30th Instant, at the HEAD OFFICE. By Order of the Directors, C. D. KERR.

Hongkong, April 14, 1887. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

First Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. upon Contributions for the year 1886 has This Day been declared. WARRANTS may be had on application at the above OFFICE on and after the 5th

Proximo. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, April 20, 1687. Not Responsible for Debts.

Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor LY Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Versels, during their stay in Hongkony Harbour :--EUDORA, British barque, Captain C. E. Fulton.-Chinese.

FIFESHIRE, British barque, Capt. Robt. Greig. -Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Swan, American brig, Captain D. D.

Steamers.

FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT.) The Steamship J.THEARLE, Commander, will be despatched for the

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

above Ports on SATURDAY, the 30th

Hongkong, April 25, 1887.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Rizer, will be desputched as above on SATURDAY, the 30th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply o

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, April 26, 1887.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND

YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Monmouth shire. S. RICKARD, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on the 3rd Proximo. This Steamer has superior Passenger Accommodation.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 26, 1887. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN

STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN, and taking through Cargo to QUEENSLAND PORTS, NEW ZEALAND. TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship

Tannadice, Captain Oraig, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 4th May, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 16, 1887.

788 STEAM TO NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) Taking Cargo on through B/L to CHEMULPO and WLADIVOSTOCK. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, the 7th May, at E. L. WOODIN,

Acting Superintendent.

Hougkong, April 26, 1887. STEAM TO SHANGRAL

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Rosetta

will leave for the above place about 36 hours after her arrival with

E. L. WOODIN Acting Superintendent.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship

Commandant months, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, April 26, 1887. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant PAUL, will be despatched for KOBE and YOKOHAMA shortly after the

arrival of the Mail Steamer from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, April 26, 1887. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAM-

BURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

The Steamship Hesperia. Capt. E. OHEISTIANSEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 16th

May, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, April 22, 1887.

SAILOR'S HOME, A NY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or A PAPERS will be thankfully received

Business Notices. Summer:

HAVE NOW UNPACKED THEIR FIRST DELIVERIES OF NEW GOODS FOR THEIR

GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT. including MANY NOVELTIES in :-

TINDERSHIRTS and DRAWERS. Fancy and Plain SUMMER HALF-HOSE New LAWN TENNIS JERSEYS. SILK and WOOL and SILK TENNIS SHIRTS. Fancy CAMBRIC SCARVES and TIES. The Newest SUMMER CRAVATS. BATHING COSTUMES and DRESSES. LADIES' Fancy BATH WRAPS.

BATH TOWELS and SPONGES. UMBRELLAS and RAIN COATS. LADIES' WATERPROOF CLOAKS. ORD & Co.'s Special Extra Thin CAMBRIC SHIRTS. Mr. JACOB RUFF has been authorized | LANE. CR LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s 'TROPICAL' FELT HATS.

TERAI, SOFT FELT, and TENNIS HATS.

SUN HATS and STRAW HATS. A full Assortment of SUMMER BOOTS, TENNIS SHOES, and TENNIS BATS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters.

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

EX LATE ARRIVALS.

OUR SPRING STOCK OF

ed by the Officers of the Garrison, to be competed for at any time during the MENTLEMEN'S SHIRTS and COLLARS, Second Competition:—For Maritini-Henry UNDERVESTS, Rifles or Carbines. Distance 200 and

Hongkong, April 19, 1887.

PANTS and HALF-HOSE, BOOTS and SHOES

CHRISTY'S FELT, TERAI and STRAW HATS, UMBRELLAS,

HANDKERCHIEFS, &c. . Hongkong, April 6, 1887. Victoria Elotel,

tini-Henry Rifles or Carbines. Dis-Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. tauce 200, 500 and 600 yards, 5 Shots INHIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central Comers. Prizes:—One-fifth to each and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost Range, Two-fifths for best aggregate the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government score, less 20 : to the Funds of the Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horais in the place. FIFTH COMPETITION: -- For Carbines. Open The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. Members of the Association or not. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the heat description.

Distance 200 and 500 yards, 5 Shots at An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spucious, on application. each distance. Position any. Prize: large DINING HALL. -A Cup presented by Messrs. Holmes | The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and amoking kooms.

> KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG.

Leaves and Flowers' Waltz, by O. Deacon. 'Fond Hearta' Waltz, by Aigrette. 'Evelyn' Waltz, by J. P. Clarke. 'Our Diva' Waltz, by Liddell. Queen of My Heart' Waltz, from 'Dorothy The Saionara' Waltz, by C. Lowthian. Sonnonschien! Waltz, by C. Lowthian. Bellevue' Waltz, by Ph. Fahrbach. 'Little Sailors' Waltz, by A. G. Crowe. authorized by Article No. 70 of the Phyllis' Waltz, by Bucallossi. present Articles of Association shall 'Our Last' Waltz, by C. Lamothe. Dorothy' Waltz, by P. Bucalozzi. Never to Part Waltz, by Lila Clay.

NEW DANCE MUSIC.

Chattermag 'Polka, by Alf. Moul.' Jockey' Quadrille, by Hamilton Clarke. Dorothy' Quadrille, by P. Buc lossi.

'Pedlar's Song.' by A. C. Mackenzie. With a Welcome for All, from Dorothy. 'The Sheriff's Man, from 'Dorothy.' 'Old Dreams,' from 'Dorothy,' 'The Garden of Sleep,' by J. De Lara. At Evensong, by O. Lowthian, 'Fair is My Love,' by A. C. Mackenzie. 'A Valentine,' by S. B. Schlesinger. Be Wise in Time, from Dorothy. The Emigrant's Return, by L. Williams. The Falling Star, by M. M. Rae. We Kissed again with Tears,' by L. Kellie. Weary I am of Foreign Parts, from 'Our

'Caught.' by Hatton.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG. Hongkong, March 12, 1887.

COMPANY, LIMITED. CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Prays Central, will receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

D. GILLIES,

CHAS.-J. GAUPP.& Co., Ohronometer, Watch & Olock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. NYAUTIOAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

NEW SONGS.

'For Ever Nearer,' by A. Romill.

'The Fairy Ring,' by H. Aide.

VOIOTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES REPORTED LEGUED AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS. English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. Christofie & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.

DIAMONDS CW AND we PATTERNE, at very moderate prices. 742

DIAMOND JEWELLERY, A Splendid Collection of the Latest London

O'Kgefe,-F. Blackhead & Co.

Hongkong, April 23, 1887,

at the Sailor's Hotae, West Point. Horgkong, July 25, 1878.

Hongkong, Augus 25, 1885. Hongkong, April 18, 1887.

Books but should send them to be & Woolley. Winners at previous CORPORATION, meetings excluded. Entrance Fee 50 The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Deuteros
will be despatched as
above on THURSDAY, written up at least twice a year, about . Agents Issuing the Loan, the beginning of January and begin-Continental languages are spoken. SIXTH COMPETITION :- For any Rifle. Dis-JOHN WALTER. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, 6. - Correspondence as to the business of tauce 900 yards, Shots 10. Position Acting Chief Manager. Proprietors. the Bank if marked On Hongkong any. Open to all Members of the Hongkong, April 23, 1887. Hongkong, September 16, 1885. For Freight or Passage, apply to Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free Association. Prize :- a Cup. Entrance by the various British Post Offices in Fee \$2.00. AH YON & Co. NOTICE. POOL TARGETS: -200 and 500 yards. Open Hongkong, April 22, 1887. Daylight, 7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand, to all Comers during the meeting. MOR the Convenience of Customers, the but the personal attendance of the Bulls' Eyes only to count, Ten Cents Productions of the 'CHINA SUGAR THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP depositor or his duly appointed agent, a shot. 80 % divided amongst Bulls' Ladies' Department. Gentlemen's Outfitting Furnishing Department. REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED,' can bence-P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, and the production of his Pass-Book NEW SHIRTS. NEW FLOOR OIL CLOTHS COMPANY, LIMITED. forward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR VANISHING TARGET COMPETITION :- For NEW BONNETS NEW STAIR OIL CLOTHS NEW COLLARS. CASH, at No. 3, PERL STREET, at the same Martini-Henry Rifles or Carbines. New FLOWERS. NEW TABLE LINEN. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY. NEW VESTS. prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail HONGRONG & SHANGHAI BANKING Distance 150 yards, Ten Shots. Posi- New Feathers. NEW TABLE NAPKINS. NEW DRAWERS. Orders will be delivered at addresses in The Co.'s Steamship tion any. Prizes :- \$15, \$10 and \$5. New AIGRETTES. CORPORATION. NEW BATHING DRAWERS. NEW SHEETINGS. town on applicants forwarding their Monthly Diamante. Capt: McCasLin, will be despatched for the above Entrance Fee 50 Cents. JOHN WALTER. NEW BATH BLANKETS. NEW WINGS. NEW TAPESTRIES. Requirements in writing direct to the Moving Target Competition :- For Mar- | New Laces. NEW DOOR MATS. NEW MACINTOSES'. Acting Chief Manager. REFINERY at East Point, tini-Henry Rifles or Carbines. Dis- New RIBBONS. NEW HEARTH RUGS. NEW UMBERLLAS. Ports on THURSDAY, the 28th Inst., at JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., tance 150 yards, Six Shots. Position | New Silk Gloves. BOOTS AND SHOES. BATHING TENTS. any. Prizes :- \$15, \$10 and \$5. En- New Boots and Shors. General Agents. &c., &c., &c. &c., &c. &c. the next English Mail. For Freight or Passage, apply to trance Fee 50 Cents. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, April 23, 1887. Hongkong, July 27, 1885. (T E L E P H O N E 21).For Fourth Competition, the Vanishing, RUSSELL & Co., UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF and Moving Target Competitions, Competi-General Managers. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, tors may enter more than once. CANTON, LIMITED. Hongkong, April 26, 1887. Hongkong, April 26, 1887. Ammunition can be obtained from the SECRETARY, at the Rate of \$2.50 per 100 OUĚEN'S KOAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. J. COOK, Proprietor. First Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER Intending Competitors requested to notify the Undersigned, which of the Competi-FOR SHANGHAL THE HOTEL IS CENTRALLY SITUATED AND WITHIN A FEW MINUTES' WALK FROM CENT. upon Contributions for the year tions they desire to be entered for. 1886 has This Day been declared. (Taking Corgo & Passengers at through rates THE PRINCIPAL LANDING PLACES. ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITORS, WARRANTS may be had on application at The form annexed to the Circular for NINGPO. CHEFOO. NEWthe Office of the Society on and after the CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and must be filled up and returned to-CHARGES MODERATE. 30th Instant. gether with full amoun of En-TIFFIN at 1 o'Clock. DINNER at 7.30. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Ports on the YANGTSZE.) trance Fees in Cash before the 26th WELL LL VENTILATED BILLIARD ROOM.

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES.

TIFFIN 59 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS.

WINES, SPIRITS AND MALT LIQUORS OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY ONLY. By Order of the Board. The Co,'s Steamship of April, 1887. Anchises. Captain Lapace, will be despatched as above on ALF. WOOLLEY. Hon. Sec. & Treasurer. Hongkong, April 18, 1887. Hongkong, April 1, 1887. THURSDAY, the 28th Instant. Hongkong, April 20, 1887. For Freight or Passage, apply to STRAITS INSURANCE COX., LD. THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, WHARF AND GODOWN COM-

Hougkong, June 7, 1886. Notices of Firms. NOTICE.

For the

TAR. HENRY CRAWFORD, Mr. JOHN McCALLUM and MR. NINIAN Rounds. ROBERT STANFORD CRAWFORD were admitted Partners in our Firm in Hongkong on the 1st April, 1887. No Change has been made in the constitution of our Firm in Shanghai or Yoko-

NOTICE. TR. FREDERICK DODWELL authorised to Sign the Name of our Firm in Hongkong from this date. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 6, 1887.

Hongkong, April 25, 1887. NOTICE. NI OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA TN consequence of Mr. ROBERT HOWIE will be held at the Company's Office in and Mr. RONALD GREIG leaving Pedder Street, Hongkong, on FRIDAY China, they will no longer Sion our Firm | the 29th day of April, 1887, at 12 of the per Procuration. Clock noon), at which the following Special We have This Day authorized Mr. Resolutions will be brought forward: GEORGE DIXWELL FEARON and Mr. That the Maximum Number of Directors

DEACON & Co.

EDMUND THOMAS BOND to Sign our

Firm per Procuration at Canton and Macao.

Canton, 1st April, 1887.

NOTICE. T URING my Absence from the Colony, my Business will be conducted by my Brother, Mr. JAMES SPENCE LEGGE. who is authorised to sign my name per

WILLIAM LEGGE. Hongkong, April 16, 1887.

TIHE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between Mr. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS and Mr. JAMES LYON PLAY-FAIR SANDERSON, at Foochow, Canton, Macao and London, EXPIRED on the 28th February, 1887, through effluxion of time.

DAY, 29th Inst., at 4.30 p.m., for the purpose of Confirming the Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting on the be carried on as a distinct Firm, by Mr. 13th Instant. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS under the Style of BIRLEY & Co.

BIRLEY & Co.

Canton, 23rd April, 1887;

NOTICE. Hongkong, April 14, 1887. HONGKONG OLUB

> NOTICE. A NEXTRAORDINARY General MEET ING of the MEMBERS of the CLUB will be held at the CLUB House, on FRI-

PANY, LIMITED,

be raised from Nine to Twelve.

That the words 'Ten Thousand Dollars

That the word and figure 'Clause 3' in

Dollars.

therein inserted.

shall be inserted in Article No. 8

of the present Articles of Association

in lieu of the words 'Seven Thousand

the seventh line of Article No. 19 of

the present Articles of Association

be eliminated from the said Article.

which shall be read as if the said

word and figure had never been

ISAAC HUGHES,

Scoretary.

W/2 714

ORDINARY General MEETING

C. H. GRACE,

By Order.

necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

Tor Sale.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM OHAMPAGNE, Pints 221 n 0 2 0 Dubos Frères & de Gernen & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND

WHITE WINES. Baxter's Celebrated Barley Bree WHISKY,-\$77 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884.

FOR SALE. AUNCHENER BEER FÜRSTENBRÄU, SUPERIOR LAGER BEER.

RÄDECKER & Co., Sole Agents. Hongkong, March 30, 1887.

To Let.

TO BE LET. (From 1st May next.)

COMPORTABLE HOUSE with Convenient OUT OFFICES, pleasantly situated at RICHMOND TERRACE. Cool in

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HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, March 14, 1887. TO BE LET.

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SHARP & Co., Estate Agents. Hongkong, April 9, 1887.

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Notices to Consignees.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

Glenode having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. To-DAY, the 26th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 3rd May will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 26, 1887. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S.S. Moyune, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY.

LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 1st Proximo, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after

the 1st Proximo will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 23rd Instant. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, April 23, 1887. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. 17,000 8 Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Labourdonnais and Melbourne. A S (in diamond), 1/3=3 cases Chisels, Augers, &c. from London, consigned to Order. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, April 14, 1887.

* Equalisation of Dividend Fund

To-day's Advertisements.

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WHEN_THE STUDIO WILL BE

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This has been considerately agreed to, so

that he may be able to complete the

work in hand and take sittings from those

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Correspondents at the ports will please

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Union Insurance Society Co., Ld.... 10,000 s

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Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld., ... 10,000

Chinese Insurance Co., Limited 1,500

Singapore Insurance Company, Ld. 40,000 \$

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The Straits Insurance Co., Ld.......30,000\$

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Luxon Sugar Company, Limited 7,000 1

Perak Sugar Cultivation Co..... 5,000 TL

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Ports on the 3rd Proximo.

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rebuilding.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates ments to remain on as a WEERLY for NINGPO. CHEFOO. NEW. TENANT his STUDIO WORK will be our-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) ried on as heretofore, pending the comple-The Co. B Steamship tion of the contract for pulling down and

Captain HANNAH, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 28th Instant, at Noon, instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, April 27, 1887.

FOR SHANGHAI. The Steamship

Yanatsze. Capt. TH. W. STARLING. above Port TO MORROW, the 28th Inst., at 4 p.m., instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, April 27, 1887.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Arratoon Apear having acrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will

Consignees are hereby informed, that al Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 2nd Proximo. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 27, 1887.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS. April 26, 1887 :-

Activ. Danish steamer, 355, N. C. Revsbeck, Haiphong April 24, General. -- ARN-HOLD, KARBEEG & CO. Anchises, British steamer, 1,304; Wm. Lapage, London March 12, and Singapore 815 April 20, General, -BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. April -27 :-

Arratoon Apear, British steamer, 1,392, J. G. Olifent, Calcutta April 11, Penang 17, and Singapore 20, Opium, Saltpetre and Grain .- DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Benvenue, British steamer, 1,497, Thomson, Saigon April 23, Rice. - GIBB, LIVING-

Chejoo, British steamer, from Whampoa. Clara, German steamer, 677. C. Christensen, Singapore April 19, Rice. - Stemssen

STON & Co.

KINCAID DONALD & Co., of Greenock. Greyhound, British steamer, 227, Geo. 2 Inverted Cylinders. 15 inches Dia-Wright, Pakhoi April 25, Hoihow 26, and meter. 18 inches Stroke. 70 lbs. Macao 27, General.—Adamson, Bell & Co. The Fronch Contract Packet Yangtse DEPARTURES. For further Particulars, apply to the Office of the China Traders' Insurance April 27 :--

State of M inc, for San Francisco.

Annie Johnson, for San Francisco. Vespasian, for Saigon. Alwine, for Haiphong. Partridge, for Hothow and Pakhoi. Glenoyle, for Shanghui.

CLEARED. Sarthe, for Haiphong. Chefon, for Tientsin. Glaucus, for Amoy and Shanghai. Vortigern, for Saigon. Actio, for Haipliong. Spartan, for Callso. PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Activ, from Haiphong, 1 European Per Auchises, from London, &c., Mrs Morrison, and 30 Chinese. Per Arratoon Apcar, from Calcutta, &c. Mrs G. Edgar, child and servant, Mr and Mrs J. B. Walter, Surgeon-Major J. F. P. McConnell, Surgeon-Major J. Reil, Dr. W. Owen, Messra J. McNeal, Van Burchen, Mr and Mrs Tong Chun Tong and child, Messrs P. M. Saugar, C. E. Mehta and servant, and 378 Chinese. Per Benvenue, from Saigon, 7 Chinese. Per Clara, from Singapore, 11 Chinese. Per Greyhound, from Pakhoi, &c., Mrs

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Mrs N. J. Ede. Per Vespasian, for Saigon, 11 Chinese. Per Partridge, for Hoihow, 1 European, and 70 Ohinese. Per Alwine, for Haiphong. 10 Chinese. Per Glenoyle, for Shaughai, Mr F. P. dos

To DEPART.

Remedies.

Per Yangtes, from Hongkong: for Saigon, Messrs A. J. Brandao, Lee, Chibourg, Casenave, and Mrs Oyoshi; for Singapore, Mr. W. Fordyce Brown; for Batavia, Mosars F. X. de Carvalho, McColl and servant for Marseilles, Mr and Mrs Barretto, 5 children and amah, Rev. Fathers de Vila, and S. da Silva. Mr and Mrs Schneider, Mr de Zabalza, Mrs Domergue. For Shanghai : for Marseilles, Mesara Yon Freeden. J. Mileck and G. Brown. From Yokohama. 816 for Matsoilles, Mr L. Tchenge.

> SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Anchires reports Had fine weather to Paracels; thence to port strong N.E. winds and heavy sea. On the 21st inst., spoke steamer Lorne, repairing machinery off the Anambas. The British steamer Arratoon Apcar reports: Up to China sea from Singapore to 12° north, light variable winds and calms; and thence strong north-north-easterly

winds and high son. The British steamer Benvenus reports From Saigon to 14° north, fine weather 14° to 19° fresh gale from N.E.; thence to port moderate with heavy head sea. The German steamer Clara reports Had five weather with smooth sea till Paracels; thence to port strong N.E. wind

with heavy sea. The British steamer Greyhound reports At Hollow strong gale from N.N.E., high sen and very heavy rain until 25th instant. Hoihow to Macao, moderate N.E. wind and high rolling swell; thence to port, light S.E. wind and clear weather on 27th inst.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For BANGKOK .-

Per China, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 28th just. For SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANG KOK. —

Per Phra Chula Chom Klao, at 10.30 a.m. on Thursday, the 28th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Haiphong, at noon, on Thursday, the 28th inst.

For SWATOW & SHANGHAL.-Per Fooksang, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 28th inst. For SHANGHAL --

Per Fooksang, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 28th inst. Per Yangtsze, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday the 28th inst., instead of as previously notified

For AMOY & MANILA -Per Diamante, at 4.30 p.m., on Thursday the 28th inst. For HAIPHONG.-

Per Marie, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the For PORT DARWIN, SYDNEY & MEL BOURNE.-

Per Chelydra, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 29th inst. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. -

will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 28th April, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (via Madras), the Australasian Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE FRENCH MAIL The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the French Contract Packet:-Day before departure,-P.M. Money Order Office closes.

Post Office closes, except NIGHT Box, which is always open out of Office hours. Day of departure.-A.M. -Post Office opens. A.M. Registry of Letters ceases.

and patterns ceases. A.M. - Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 11.10 a.m.-Letters may be posted with

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APRIL 27, 1887. SHARE LIST: - UOTATIONS. Closing Quotatum, Paid- Position PER LAST REPORT. Last Dividence Balancec. f waru Reserve.

Noon. - China loaves for Bangkok.

Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 4 p.m. - Yangtaze leaves for Shanghai. 4 p.m. - Fooksang leaves for Shanghai, &c. 4 p.m. - Deuteros loaves for Singapore. 5 p.m.—Diamante leaves for Manila, &c.

General Memoranda.

Rifle Association at Kowloon Ranges. Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Company, Limited.

Hongkong Club. SATURDAY, April 30 :-

2nd May, inclusive. SUNDAY. May 1 :-this date subject to rent.

S. Watson & Co., Ltd., at Hongkong Claims against the Arratoon Apcar must be made on or before this date.

TURSDAY, May 3:-

inclusive.

Goods per Glengole undelivered after this date subject to rent. FRIDAY, May 27:-Transfer Books of The Punjom & Sungbie Dua Samantan Mining Co., Ltd. closed from this date to the 3rd June,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRUGGISTS, DRUGGISTS' SUNDRYMEN, PERFUMERS, Importers and Exporters

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THE CANTON DISPENSARY, Cauton. THE DISPENSARY, Foodbow. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,

Hongkong, March 9, 1887.

The publication of this issue commenced

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1887.

Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape. THE Bill read a first time at the last no doubt clearly comprehend the con- titled The Cattle Diseases, Slaughtermecting of the Legislative Council, in siderations to which we refer. We Houses, and Markets Ordinance, 1887. which a line of demarcation is described have no desire to see the Chinese (d.) An Ordinance to amend and consolidate southward or south-eastward of which 'sanitated' off the Island, or that unno Chiurse tenements or houses may be necessary restrictions be placed upon built in this city, bears a title that is them as to the building of their tenenot a little misleading. It is now en- ments; but while displaying to them litled An Ordinance to regulate the widest liberty compatible with the building of Chinese Houses in the City existence of this Colony as a British of Victoria; while in point of fact it dependency, it is not desirable that does no more than debar the building every available inch of ground in the of such houses in certain districts of the centre of the city should be swallowed City of Victoria. There is another rea- up by the native section of the comson why this title should not be used, munity. besides its faultiness of description, and that is, that any future Building Ordin-Posting of all printed matter ance which may become law in the course of time would necessarily be confused with this one. It may be desirable to pass the present Bill at once for some special purpose, otherwise it would appear to us to be inadvisable to legislate on this particular point at this juncture. Again, it is possible that this law for fixing upon a line of demarcation outside of which no Chinese tenement shall be erected, cannot be embodied in any other ordinance,-in which case the work of consolidation or codification would not be applicable to a

fugitive measure of this description, which must stand by itself on the local statute book. Whether the definition of the City of Victoria, given in Sec fication theory laid down by the Law 1,321.41 \$6 half year \$210 per share, sellers, buyers

with by the Land Commission, the purpose of this Bill is one which ought to meet with the support of all impartial residents, native us well as European. The question put by the Land Commission was as follows: What is your opinion as to the localities where European houses ought alone to be built? Or should there be any restriction?' We shall be very much astonished if the answers to that question, and the recommendations of the Commission, do not strongly advocate the conservation of a certain European quarter in this city. Our only surprise, ia considering the Ordinance before as,

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Noon .- Haiphong leaves for Coast Ports. Noon. -Glaucus leaves for Shanghal, &c. Noon. Phra Chula Chom Klao leaves for Swatow and Bangkok.

Anchises leaves for Shanghai.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Oder undelivered after this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, April 29:--10.30 a.m. - Prize Meeting of Hongkons

Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown 4.30 p.m.-Meeting of Members of the

Register of Shares of A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the

MONDAY, May 2:-3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of A

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. MAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS

MANILA CIGARS.

ERATED WATERS THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

BOTICA INGLESA, 14, Escolta, Manila,

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,

at 7.30 p.m.

tion 3 of the Victoria Registration Or dinance (No. 7 of 1866), is or is not correct at the present date, we are no altogether prepared to say; but we have a strong suspicion that Kennedy Town, and perhaps Kowloong Point, may have since the year 1860 been included with in the city limits. If any doubt exists on this point, it would be well to set at rest; and besides, any unnecessary references from one ordinance to another seems to us to be contrary to the codi- respective departments. Revision Committee. The 'notice' referred to in Section 7 should be the notice mentioned in Sect. 5, and not in Sect. 4, as printed. Perhaps, however, these are minor mutters of detail. The intention of the Ordinance receives our most cordist approval; and were it not that the whole question will probably be don't

is, that no portion of the Central District, below the level of Hollywood Road, has been specially preserved for Enropean houses. In former days Pottinger Street was looked upon as

tile natural Amit; but now the pative

houses are creeping castward until they all but touch, or will soon touch, t he Supreme Court and the Club. The old site of Pustau & Co., and the present m premises of Turner & Co., are spoken of as destined for Chinese houses; and

so tar as the proposed line of demarcation is concerned, no statutory check is suggested for conserving this quarter for Europeans Our morning contemporary has taken an this question from a stand-point which shuts out altogether any objections a holder European property might have to being the immediate neighbour of Chinese. The writer in the Press rather exults THE s.s. Anchiecs, which arrived yesterday over the prospect of the Europeans from London, reports having spoken the Those Europeans who get large sums steamer Lorne repairing machinery off the

for their property, and hand over their Anambas. property to Chinese, may possibly be ments? It seems to us that those commend the surrender of every inch of died last night. ground to the Chinese if they will but notwithstanding. Moreover, we think

the reusons given by our contemporary why no restrictions whatever should be placed upon the extension of Chinese tenements in the European quarter is, that there is so much recovery of \$20. overcrowding in the Chinese quarter. It matters not, apparently, where the Europeans go: they will move out- ing of the Legislative Council does not conwords, or move higher up the hill to tain the resolution which Mr A. P. Macmake room for the Chinese. This movement 'outwards' and 'unward' has been going on steadily for many years; and because now the spots yet retained by Europeans are comparatively few, it live have given a promise to reverse the will be just us well to give the Chinese Order in Council in which the return of what remains, and take to the High Level Tramway at once! So argues the writer in the Press, We very much doubt whether many residents will look at the question from this point of view, or that Upper Victoria and Lower Victoria will divide the European and native communities so effectually as seems to be anticipated, for a few years yet to come. Chere are other

as, if not more than, the Peak Tramway will alter the conditions of the Gap regions. There are other ing of Chinese Houses in the City of reasons besides those of commercial Victoria. expediency why Europeans can never give up their hold on the water frontage and the more central lots in the recognised European quarter: these, however, may safely be left to the care of H. E. the Administrator, who will Chan Kwok Ving (c.) An Ordinance en-

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL.

(Via Southern Line.)

FRANCE AND GERMANY. LONDON, 25th April.

The French assort that M. Schnaebel was arrested on French territory, the Germans that the arrest took place on German territory.

(Translated from Saigon papers of 20th

. M. B. Saint-Chaffray, minister plenipotentiary, formerly president of the Tonkin Delimitation Commission, has been appoint ed envoy extraordinary to Venezuela, in place of M. Thiesso, deputy, whose mission

M. Milland, Minister of Public Works, M. Berthelot, Minister of Education, and M. Granet, Minister of Postes et Telegraphes, are on a tour through Algeria and Tunis, inspecting the services attached to their Mitchell, J. W. Boyd, R. P. Dipple, G. D.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. PASSED SUEZ VANAL

OUTWARD BOUND :- Strathlecen, Match Orion. Wypern, D. Balduino, 8; Smit. 4 Kinyomaru, 22 : Titania, Glenmorpen, 25; Canton, 29; Cambodia, April 1; Benledi, 5; Elektra, Neckar, Oxfordshire, Stentor, Glenshiel, 12; Anadyr, Benturig, Telemachus, Hampshire, Iphigenia, 15 Oxus, 19. NEWARD BOUND:-Memling, March 25: Olympin April 1; Benalder, Cardiganshire, Nestor, 12; Benvenue, Braunschwery, Prometheus, 15; Laertes, Polyhymnia, 19.

with the AMERICAN MAIL of April 2. was to leave Yokohama on Saturday, the 23rd inst, and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 29th inst. he S. S. Saghalien, with the Francu Mail. of March 25th, is to leave Singapors on Saturday, the 23rd April, at noon, and Sugar on the 27th lost at 3 p.m. and may be expected here on or about

Saturday, the 30th April This Packet

brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Feb. 15th.

THE O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Belgic.

on the 22nd instant, at 5 p.m.; and may

The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Tannadice left Port Darwin for this port on the 26th April, and may be expected here on or about the 30th April.

e Shire Line steamer Monmouthshire left Singapore on the 26th April, and may be expected here on or about the 2nd e Gellatly Line steamer Ajghan left Sin-

gapore on the 26th April, and may be expected here on or about the 2nd WE have received from Government a copy of the Blue Book for 1886, with a Report

thereon by Mr A. Seth, Clerk of Councils.

congratulated. But how about the An inquest was held this afternoon on the householders who remain, and whose body of Chang Kwai, a coolie, who was lots get built round by Chinese tone- accidentally knocked down the fore hatch of the steamer Chelydra yesterday while have a substantial grievance, and will some packages were being raised by a steam be entitled to redress or compensation, crane. He was taken to the Civil Hoseither from the Government or from the pital where it was found the base of his encroachers. The persons who re- skull had been severely fractured. He

pay the enhanced price for it, will of MR Thomas Ide Bowler, who carries on a Goods per Moyune undelivered after course scout such au idea as compensa- brick-work at Yau-ma-ti, alleges that tion; but there is reason in this view during the field practising at Kowloomyesterthat the Ordinance should draw a hard day, two or three shots struck his houses and fast line in the Central District and did some damage. He says he also very much neaver to the Cleck Tower received a slight scratch from a stray bullot than the line now described. One of that had wandered in his direction. We have not heard whether he has summoned the General and all his army, but he was talking loudly of bringing an action for the

As the 'Order of the Day' for next meet-Ewen was to have proposed regarding the non-delivery and return of unstamped correspondence, we presume that the Execuunpaid correspondence was sanctioned. If so, it would be well if this decision were made known at once.

THE following are the orders of the day for the meeting of the Legislative Council to be held on Friday, at 4 p.m.; 1. Mr MacEwen, pursuant to notice, will

ask :- What progress has been made with remedies for the overcrowding of the Fortifications now under construction the Chinese quarter than the efface- ount of money has been expended and ment of the European portion of paid? How much is still due for work acthe city. There is room both East timlly completed? How much more is reand West, and tramways on the lower quired to complete the works according to levels may revolutionise the conditions | the original plans? What is the latest inof residence in Lower Victoria as much formation received from the War Office in re-2. Second reading of the following Bill . An Ordinance to regulate the build-

> 3. To go into Committee on the following Bills :-- (a) An Ordinance to enable the Trustees of the Rhenish Missionary Society to sell and dispose of certain Leasehold Property within the Colony of Hongkong. (b.) An Ordinance for the naturalisation of

> the Law relating to Jurors. (c.) An Or-

dinance to consolidate the Law relating to

various Licences. 4. Third reading of the following Bills :- (a.) An Ordinance authorising the Hougkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation to continue incorporated for the further term of Twenty-one Years. (b.) An Ordinance empowering the Consts to award Whipping as a further punishment for certain Crimes.

In the course of an article on Mr Browley. the Chinese Times says :- An anecdote may be mentioned to illustrate the exquisite tact which made Mr. Bromley's intercourse with the Chinese officials so smooth. Li Hungchang on one occasion rather abruptly asked him was he Republican or Democrat? With his usual self-possessed smile, which was never cynical and always pleasant, Mr Browley replied, Why I am the United States Consul.' And the Vicercy langhed loud at the answer. Perhaps no greater. compliment was ever paid to the representative of a foreign country than when the Viceroy, on hearing of Mr Bromley's probable supersession, telegraphed to the Chinese Minister at Washington to use his influence there to obtain Mr Bromley's reappointment. The Minister, however, relied that it was impossible, as certain personal influences were too strong.

MEETING OF SEATHOLDERS IN UNION CHURCH. The adjourned annual meeting of the

seatholders in Union Church was held in the Church yesterday evening, when there were present-Rev. Dr Chalmers, Dr Young, Measrs D. R. Crawford, Geo. Murray Bain, W. H. Lobb, J. Gow, R. Duncan, G. Sharp, H. McCallum, W. Parlane, W. Powell, J. Goosmann and A. Falconer. On the motion of Mr Crawford, Dr

Chalmers was voted to the chair. Dr Chalmers having opened the meeting with prayer, the hon. Secretary was called upon for his report. Mr Falconer then readhis report, from which it appeared that there was a balance of \$673,76 to the credit of the Church after paying all expenses. The Report, together with the Tressurer's statement of accounts, was then handed round. Mr Mitchell moved that the Secretary's Report, together with the Treasurer a statement of accounts, be accepted and printed. Mr Dipple seconded, and the motion was carried unanimously. Mr Boyd moved, Mr Duncan seconded

and it was agreed unanimously, that Mesars D. Gillies, Dr Young, H. McCellum, J. D. Ball, W. Parlane, Geo. Mucray Bain, J. Goussiann, J. Mathleson, J. W. Boyd, A. Rodger; and A. Falconer, be appointed a Committee for the enaming year, Mr McCallum acting as Treasurer and Mr Phiconer as Secretary. Mr Sharp next proposed a vote of thanks

to Dr. Ettal for his services during the past year, and it doing so, he said he thought they all felt the obligation under which they had been placed to Dr. Ritel. The services he D. D. R. steamship Neobe, from Ham. of Dr Eitel, which were at first intended burg and ports of call, left Singapore to extend for a period of six months, had been extended for over, five times that be expected here on or about the 20th period, and he thought they had been generally acceptable. He therefore begged

the seatholders desire to acknowledge stated that my own opinion was that the amoring him that the enquiry he objected February the said obscene libel. most grafefully the disinterested nots rendition case should be postponed until to would not be long so long and so carnostly carried on the been determined. No objection to this Court Interpretor, who produced several and Dr. Ho Kai instructed by Mr Webber, pulpit services.

the resolution.

The Chairman said the London Mis- During the last few days I received a sion had been drawn into this matter letter from the Government instructing His Worship said he would like Dr Ho Kai, in his address to the jury, has not yet replied to the British demand. rather earlier than they expected. The me to abide in my action by the to call the witness Leung Ayou, said the English press had to struggle for Committee of the Church saw that the opinion of the Attorney General, which The witness was sent for but could not be centuries for the liberty which it now time had arrived whon it was exceedingly was transmitted to me. In that com- found. After waiting for some time, and it also appeared as if the THE BOMBARDMENT OF ZANZIBAR PORTS BY desirable that a chaplain should be appoint. munication the Attorney General says :- as there was no other evidence in this native press here; which had only recently with the forence service, and so the London would hear the evidence with regard with regard with regard of late, since at range about 5,000 to 6,001 france each. Mission was drawn into the matter earlier to this mark and would then allow the course I propose to take and be prepared that? This was not the same as a translation Minagani and a gunboat on Toughi. Olympia, the favoreite and fashionable rethan was intended. Dr Chalmers then other side to bring rebutting evidence, to hear arguments against it. At the com- tion of a letter or petition of Government The practice of the Portaguese gunners was sort of both afternoon and evening, races, alluded to the Resolution mentioned by I will now ask Mr Dennys to produce any mencement of the proceedings on the pre- document; it was an article written in the wretched, shot after shot failing to take gladiatorial battles, and risky chariot-racing Mr Crawford. In reply to an application further evidence he wishes to bring bear- vious occasions I informed the solicitors for most elegant and classical style, and was effect. At last a party of natives was sent have been indulged in sufficiently often to of the Committee of the Church to the ing on the evidence of this man, and I the defence the examination of the witness, therefore beyond the ability of a beginner. ashore under cover of night to five the gratify the most exacting. But all these Lundon Missionary Society to send out a will give the other side what opportunity Leung Ayou, having been completely put in the pastor the Directors, about the middle of they wish to bring further rebutting evid- sidered that, if his evidence was to be be. Mr Sercombe Smith had misinterpreted Captain and officers of the Kilr's remained shade by the advent of Mr Seeth, the colelast year, passed the following resolutionco. tion: That having carefully consider- Which they were turned helpless into the whose entrance into the arena is the signal ed the request of the Committee of Worship stated as to having request stood the solicitors for the defence had be that of Mr Smith. He next submitted streets; but fortunately the same day the for the most intense excitement and interest importance of having an earnest christian taken as to this side issue—as to whether the witness, Leung Ayou'. sented by the Union Church the Direc- witness was asked a question in cross-ex- Francis at the time). tors are unwilling to altogether put aside amination and if his answer or the ten- His Worship-With regard to the case their morals. the request for help now made to dency of his answer affected his character against the prisoner Leung Ayou, I may now them. They will, therefore, be prepared to or credibility as a witness, he was absolute- state that it has not been proved to the whole that the translation he had produced was a night for Poona, whence he proceeds to face, attributes which at once claim for allow one of their missionaries to become by bound in that case by his answers, extent as I was given to understand it substantially correct translation of the Mahableshwar. Pastor, retaining his full connection with and it was not admissible under any circum- would be. Evidence has been given to meaning of the writer. Mr Sercombe the Society and his rights as a missionary, stances to call any evidence to show in the show that he is a Chinese prisoner and has Smith, in a long cross-examination, had on condition that the Church shall pay to particular case then before the Court that been branded, but there has been no evid- never once failed to give a reason for any- 4th instant, a destructive hurricane swept by birth. My father was American and the Society not less than \$2,500 per annum, these answers were un'rus. The man eace brought forward to show that he was not thing he had explained the over Bhamo, doing considerable damage. my mother Danish, I being born in Denand that the Pastor shall be free to do such might afterwards be prosecuted for perjury, prosent at the robbery. While giving due reason why he had selected such as he had se missionary work among the natives as he but in the particular case before the Court value to the evidence that has been brought meaning, and why he had put in a word accommodation of the European Infantry only twenty-four, but people take me to be may flud to be in his power. And, further, it was not allowable to go into side issues. against this man I must say that it does here and there to convey the meaning of was blown down; and some other barracks that the Churih shall pay the passage from The evidence, therefore, that had been not necessarily affect the issue of the case. It might be that Mr Sercombe and buildings have been seriously injured. England to Hongkong of whoever may be given with a view to show that Leung Ayou was an old offender is quite Smith had not a very long acquaintance One of the Chinese carpenters who were I only speak German and just a word or two appointed by the Society to take the place Ayou had marks on his arm and had been compatible with the supposition that he was with the Chinese language, but he had for working at the barracks was killed, and in mission work of the missionary thus cho- proviously imprisoned or affecting his char- present at the robbery. The case having been three years made it a special gludy, in or- several others were injured.

so much as he could at one time.

Mr Bondfield.

Mr Falconer seconded. Mr Powell suggested that Mr Bendfield there was any evidence to show that no the word 'Sit.' With regards to Mr Fran- General contended that the article was gross should be asked to accept the post for five burglary or robbery did occur, His Wor. cis's contention as to a prima facie and obscene from beginning to chid. And yet or six months. He believed there was at ship was entitled to hear it, but no other case he pointed out that suppressing that there are any l'an-Hellenic agitations beasts made most of the audience shiver very strong feeling in favour of Mr Bond. I kind of evidence. field, and he would not oppose the motion, His Worship-With regard to what duty was to investigate the alleged crime liberties of the press. They all valued the Bulgarians you aware of that? I believe it if you On Calcuttante

would be gained by asking Mr Bondfield be four it by the public reports of the case stated an absolute falsehood that certain for the defence had almost said that such of our news about the excited condition of were you once to lose your presence of on demand, ... to go on probation, as Mr Bondfield was, that when I stated my opinion as to the prisoners had committed murder, was His articles would not deprave the morals of the Macedonia comes from Servian sources, and mind, all would soon be over with you? so far as he had felt the pulse of the I was prepared to hear arguments on both whether that man's evidence was trust had a higher opinion of the Chinese than Government is not only very vigilant, but The lions are only kept in aubjugation by Sovereigns. seatholders it would be almost a matter of sides against that course. With regard to worthy or not! It must be admitted that that He was sure they would not look has always been very well informed as to their intense fear of me; but were I once form securing a unanimous call. He de- the other point as to what I am to do now, the prisoners had a perfect right to prove upon such productions with approbation, coming events in the East. most certainly lead to failure.

Mr Falconer pointed out that they were the principal witness on behalf of said that the trial did not take place before on the complaint of Chinese.

the resolution. He also added that in a character from what he represented himself | Worship, he maintained, had the rights of a that the publication of an obscene libel was | £1,000,000 with Messrs Baring of London. great measure the deciding of this matter to be. I, as a magistrate having to satisfy judge and jury at the Supreme Court in not a privileged communication, and that

Mr Powell said he wished it be understood that he did not offer any opposition evidence that is absolutely excluded. to the resolution in any shape or form. He simply asked a question.

ing and carried nem. con., only two or three that decision until I satisfy myself as to the Thesolicitorfor the Chinese Government had an unanimous verdict of guilty on the se Thyra Amelia, Duchess of Cumberland, oughly effective. What is the worst at members refraining from voting. holders give their most hearty thanks to case. Mr Powell for his services at the harmo-

niur, during the past year.

said he had taken an active interest in souers. He could only say that these three would wish to call witnesses for the de-Union Church ever since the foundation men were guarding him three hours after- fence stone was laid, and that interest would not wards. Even supposing that Loung Mr Dennys said he would like to know abate even when he went home, and any Ayou's evidence was discredited there first whether His Worship considered he cluded the proceedings.

THE CHINESE RENDITION CASE. charged with robbery and murder within the Jurisdiction of the Emperor of China and whose rendition is asked by the Chinese the Chinese authorities will not be repre-Government was recommended at the sented.

Magistracy this forencon. Mr J. J. Frances, Q.O., instructed by Mr that is not so. I say that while an enquiry Caldwell, of Messra Caldwell and Wilkin- into the credibility of Lonng Ayou is going son, appeared for the prosecution; Mr on-as to whether he was formerly a prisoner, Holmes appeared for one prisoner and Mr or whether he was marked, the prosecu-Dennys, of Mesars Donnys and Mossop, for thom declines to interfere.

Mr Wodehouse-The last evidence taken saying. in this case was that of Inspector Quincey, Mr Francis No that is not what you said. which was to the effect that the witness, you may have intended to say that, but you Loung Ayon, had been charged before the used the words while the case was going on Police Magistrate with a crime arising out the Chinese Government would not be re- Po, proprietors of the Town Wan You of this care, that evidence had been taken presented. before the Magistrate, that the case His Worship-I said that while the evid bauch public morals by printing and stood remanded, that the charge brought lence with regard to Louing Ayon was pro- publishing or causing to be printed and

Mr Lobb seconded, and the motion was sel representing the Chinese Government, Translations of several passages were The following gentlemen formed the jury Mr Crawford proposed the next resolu- dinte discharge of the prisoners in this case. | were marked with Sit To son the right W. Koch, Joseph Morden, A. L. Jurdan, H. tion, which is as follows: That the My idea in postponing the case was that I arm on the second offence and also T. S. Green and N. J. Robinson. Secretary be empowered to accept on behalf thought any action taken in this case might on the left arm on the third offence, The most of the forenced was occupied ligaring the earth, he could not but note with some claw as a sourt pin. Is there any hisof the Spatholders the offer of the London be calculated to projudice the perjury case while prisouers of a certain kind were also in hearing the evidence of Mr Sin A Sin. Missiourry Society to allow one of their in one way or another, and that therefore branded with the character Sit Chat. The clerk to Mr Ewens. missionaries to become pastor of the Church it would be advisable to stand by and interpreter said that after having seen the This witness pointed out the passages in the British Government threatens to bom- of the narrative of the great Venetian as I have described to you. We were perfor the sum of \$2,500 in the terms of the wait until the other case was concluded. | characters in the penal code he would say Mr. Sercombe Smith's translation which bard the Haytian ports. There is great traveller of the middle ages, how great a forming in Vienna, and she had had cubs, resolution of the Directors. Perhaps the Accordingly the case has been postponed that Sit To, was the noun meaning he considered incorrect, and said that the excitement at Port au-Prince as well as at number of our modern explorers—men all of whom she had caten up. This made Chairman would be good enough to read from week to week until yesterday, when Thief while To Sit was the verb whole article was a satire on the Japanese other places, and the Haytians are threa- who had shared between them a dozen her terribly savage, and directly I got into it was further adjourned until to-day. meaning to steal.

ed for the nonconformist soldiers, and so I submit that the Magistrate acted case, His Worship suid he would proceed been started, was also to have to struggle they went to him, and at his suggestion irregularly and contrary to all practice with the Rendition Case. He then asked for its liberty. The native press had zibar's steamer Kileahas arrived in Bumbay, they asked the Rev. Mr Bondfield to under- in postponing the rendition case until after Mr Francis if he wished to call any further not yet learned its lesson, and it was bringing full particulars of the bombardtake the chaplaincy. It was understood the trial of the witness, Lenng Ayon, for evidence for the presecutors. that the services on the Sundays for the perjury.' I will therefore now resume the soldiers would from the 1st of May be be- case at the point where I left it off. We tween 7 and 8 o'clock in the morning, and he left off at the point at which the witness, refer to what has been said with reference thought that would not interfere with the Leung Ayou, was being cross examined as to the statement I made when I postponed forencon service, but it appeared that the to the marks which he had upon his arm, this case. I will read from the report of General did not wish the soldiers to go out I aid then before the prosecution was com- the China Mail, which I think is an accu- or meaning of many of the words, but he ated. Toughi and Minagani were perearlier than II o'clock. This seemed to clash | menced against him for perjury that I | rate statement of what I said :-

He might add that the Secretary had and ought to be discarded. The prosecu- I think it is fair now to give the prisoners Government had given him, and he (the in-chief, expects to leave for India by the lion-tamer been very large? Well, I said he thought he (Dr Chalmers) might re- tion declined to go into any evidence on an opportunity of saying what action they Acting Attorney General) submitted that he end of this month. sume the duties of Pastor himself, but that | the subject: Mr Francis then called His | intend to take in their defence. was out of the question. He had too many Worship's attention to Clark on Extradi- Mr Dennys then made a rather lengthy appointment if he had failed. If they comthings to do now and he was not able to do non, and maintained that if the prosecution statement. He began by reminding His pared the three translations, too, they Mr Bain seconded the resolution, which was man might find a prisoner guilty, a prima Leung Ayou's evidence was not to be be- forence. Against Mr Smith had been pit-Mr Parlane moved 'That the Local Com- was evidence that the offence was commit- charge the prisoners. His Worship Translator might have a great knowledge of mittee of the London Missionary Society ted and that these men took some part in had said that if he proved that the Chinese, but from his appearance in the

of the witness. The resolution was then put to the meet, absolutely impossible for me to come to tion but had a direct bearing on the onse of six to one on the first count, and the asylum to-day. credibility of the evidence. When I have tried to hoodwink the Court by pretending cond count.

ing to law be enquired into. If His Wor- sort to such tricks as that. Dr. Young proposed that the seatholders ship persisted in the course he indicated His Worship asked whether Mr Dennys had and the other two defendants. give their best thanks to Mr David R. Craw- there was only one course open to the any cases he could produce which would be ford for his long services to Union Church, prosecution and that was to withdraw from a guide in dealing with this case. and express the hope that he may long the case while that evidence was being Mr Donnys said he did not think any enjoy good health and his well-earned retire- taken. The witness Loung Ayon was not case had occurred in the Colony of this nament at home, and that he may continue to the principal witness. There was the evil ture which had not been disposed of by the show the interest in the affairs of Union | dence of the watchmen and people in the vil- | magistrate, and he would not hold himself Church which he has shown for so many lage as to the committal of the crime and also bound to such authority. However, if the as to the identity of the prisoners as some case was adj urued he would endeavour to Mr. Falconer seconded, and the motion of the persons connected with the robbery. find out. Mr Crawford, in briefly returning thanks, importance as to the identity of the pri- supposing the right to be conceded to him | two sureties of \$500 each. was abundant evidence to warrant. His had a right to do that. Worship in committing these pri-A vote of thanks to the Chairman con- souers to swait the Governor's orders. Point when the application was made. He He could easily understand the reason and thought also that Mr Dennys might like to desirability in some cases of such an inves- have an opportunity of analysing the evidtigation as was proposed, but in this case ence, and pointing out particulars to which any enquiry into the credibility of the be would desire to draw the Magistrate's

The case against the three men who are witness was entirely outside the scope of attention. law and practice. His Worship Then I understand that

while the case of Lenng Ayou is going on Mr Francis (rather excitedly) No.

His Worship-That is just what I was

course was raised on the part of the Count volumes of the penal code of China, appeared for the defence. while the other side asked for the imme. hinded in, showing that certain prisoners -Messra N. N. D. Ezra, W. S. Bamsey, F.

When this evidence had been taken gether.

Mr Francis said he did not.

liberty to take exculpatory evidenc. If 'To' and that there were the remains of article but a satire, the Acting Attorney passage from home :-

of whether Leung Ayou was the nephew of 1867.

His Worship said he would deal with Mr Dennys said he would like to to this. The case was then adjourned till Friday

SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before His Hanour Mr Justice Russell. Acting Chief Justice.) Wednesday, April 27.

CHARGE OF INDECENT PUBLICATION AGAINST A CHINESE NEWSPAPER. The hearing of the case in which Wong Shu Tong, Wong Yat San and Chan King It is expected that, in consequence of this Po, were charged with intending to de- Dangols, andwill retire to Khurtoum.

to propose the following resolution :- That of both sides as to the course to adopt and but was requested to remain, Mr Wodehouse solling and uttering in the issue of the Paraellite party to de- broke him in. I hold onen his laws of kindness of the Rev. Dr. Eitel, who has the case arising out of the proceedings had | Mr Dennys then called Chan Kai Ming. by Mr Johnson, Crown Solicitor, prosecuted:

His Worship-Before proceeding I may submitted that he had proved that Mr hours notice, which the inhabitants utilised lieved, a prima facie case was made out the whole article, and submitted that if any in custody for a fortnight, at the end of

Management of Union Church, Hong- ed the opinion of counsel for the evidence in their possession which would that the article was a satire on the im- British India steamer Oriental arrived and kong, to be assisted the Society in obtain- prosecution. His opinion had certainly go to show that the whole of this witness's morality of a custom which the writer and picked them to Zuzibar. eye is dilated and every neck stretched ing the services of a suitable minister— never been ask- evidence was false—that he was not present every one of his countrymen condemned. THE RUSSO-AFGHAN FRONTIER NEGOTIATIONS. forward to view the performance of the the society becoming responsible for the ed he would certainly have protested at the robbery and that he was no intention in the mind London, 8th April Colonel Sir Joseph payment of his salary the Directors feel it against it. He further stated that had he he represented himself to be. Under these of the writer to corrupt the morals of his West Ridgeway and Captain Barrow have is one they are unable, in its present form, been acting as Counsel at the time he would circumstances I called upon the solicitors countrymen, in fact Dr Ha Kai believed it started for St. Potersburg, for the purto entertain. Recognising, however, the have protested against any evidence being for the defence to prove their case against was impossible to do so by this means, pose of commencing negotiations with re-He concluded by arguing that before the spect to the points which are still undecidministry for the spiritual needs of the Eu- the witness was marked or had been im- (It is but right to say that no arguments jury could come to the conclusion that the ed relative to the Russo-Afghan frontier, at ropean community at Hongkong repre- prisoned. It was a rule of law that if a against this course were raised by Mr article was obscene, they must be satisfied Kam-i-ab and Khoja Satsh. that it was the writer's intention to corrupt | MOVEMENTS OF THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

acter or credibility was utterly irrelevant concluded on the part of the prosecution | der to fit himself for the post which the Commander- | hippodrome. Has your experience as a (Mr Smith) would never have received the made out a case on which any reasonable Worship that he had promised that if would find there was no substantial diffacie case was made out. In this case there lieved he would dismiss the case and dis- ted the Court Translator. Well, the Court be asked to take immediate steps for carry- it. There might be a great deal of evidence | mark on that man's arm was the box yesterday, the Acting Attorney General ing on the pastoral work, and that in the in contradiction of this, but it was not character To' be would discovere the felt himself justified in saving that he Duke, of the alchogle, which has just made four when you enter the lion's cage?" meantime steps be taken to give a call to for the Magistrate to balance one set of prisoners. He maintained that he had know very little English. With regard to evidence against another, and he was not at | proved conclusively that the mark was the defence that this was not an obscene

Court for a similar thing before and fined, and three daughters.

Dr Ho Kai said all three were proprietors of the paper and had had nothing to do with the management of it. Wong Shu Tong was also compradore to the P. & O. Co. They were all substantial men. His Lordship said he would hear any

affidavits which they might wish to present on the subject; and in the meanting he

LATE INDIAN TELEGRAMS. We take the following telegrams from the

Rangoon Gazette :--THE WOLUNTERR REVIEW IN ENGLAND. London, 8th April. - Large bodies of Volunteers are marching to Dover and East. bourne, to take part in the Easter Man-

ENGLAND AND TURKEY. Drummond Wolff's proposals are now better appreciated by the Turks, and moreover, the opposition of some of the Powers there. to has been lessened. GREAT DEFFAT OF THE DESVISHES NEAR

DONGOLA.

Assouan, 10th April News has been received here that the friendly Kabbabish Tribe have had an engagement with the PRESIDENT CLEVELAND AND THE PISHERIES

The Acting Attorney General, instructed in his reply, has stated that reprisals are infinexation to the United States. intended if enforced to assert the intional honour and to protect the nation and not any particular interests. THREATENED BOMBARDMENT OF HAYTIAN

> London, 10th April.—An amicable settlement of the Haytian question is expected. PORTUGUESE MRN-OF-WAR.

Bomban, 8th April. - The Sultan of Zanto have to pay for its experience. In ment of Minagani and Tonghi by the dealing with the translations, Dr Ho Kai Portuguese. The Portuguese gave twelve Sercombe Smith's translation was full of to make their cscape. The Captain, mistakes. Mr Smith had admitted in cross- officers and crew of the Kilva were examination that he did not know the sound taken prisoners, but afterwards liber-

had found them in the dictionary. What feetly helpless. The bombardment was

Bombay, 1st April - His Royal Highness The Acting Attorney General submitted the Duke of Connaught left Bombay last DESTRUCTIVE HUBBICANE AT BHANO.

NEWS IN ADVANCE OF THE FRENCH MAIL.

The following items are taken from the London Weekly Times of the 25th March, kindly forwarded for perusal by Captain a remarkable, if not unprecedently quick,

THE BITUATION IN EUROPE. Ordinance 2 of 1850, His Worship's such articles would be interfering with the in Macedonia, and assert that rumours to with apprehension for your safety. Are but he would like to have heard and seen Mr Francis has said that his opinion or offence in the same way as if the charge presstoo highly—they knew what it had done to closk their own proceedings in North tell me so, but upon my life I cannot unwars of him was not asked. I must adhere to was an indictable offence in the Colony. —to mix up the liberty of the press with a Macedonia. One may acquit M. Tricoupis derstand the feeling you describe. It is Mr Bain said he did not see what good what I previously said. I think it will Supposing a man came to the Colony and question of this sort. The learned counsel of trying to foment disturbances, but most absolutely unknown to me. I suppose On chargensi

spired that he had certain marks about would have a higher tribunal to try their case in attacking the weakest point, the trans- union of the two Bulgarias as an inde-The Chairman suggested if there was any him which the other side were prepared to from officials whose principal witness was lation. He pointed out the difference pendent kingdom. The Bulgarian Govern-

THE DUCHESS OF CUMBERLAND.

THE SUIDIDE OF MR J. K. CROSS.

day morning he was found a spended from dooile and tractable, while on others just The evidence of Loung Ayou was of little His Worship then asked if Mr Donnys would allow each of them out on ball in the wardrobe in his room. Ho had the reverse, wild and fierce in the extreme, doubled a piece of fishing cord several roshing shout their onge like so many devils. Sentence will be delivered on Friday at times, thrown it over a corner of the You saw that big lion, for instance, just neck and kicked the stool over. He was the first time for many a day that he has Manila... 29.95 85 76 sw 2 o out down, but was found to have been dead behaved like that. Generally speaking, he Haiphong. Some time. He had spont the previous looks very treacherous, as I believe he is. Hongkong 30.07 71 80 E 3 o evening with his brother and brother-in-law but he very seldom refuses to go through his Amoy.....30.09 69 45 sw arranging to accompany the latter on a fish- performance as he did just now: I notice Shanghai. 30.05 68 79 * 3 c event that was so soon to follow. The de- a single feature of their entertainment. peased, born in 1832, was the eldest son of Certainly not; for were I to allow it one the late Mr Thomas Cross, cotton spinner day, I should have endless difficulty in of Bolton. He represented Bolton in Parlia. making them go through with it the next. ment in the Liberal interest from 1874, when I have to observe the very strictest disci-Constantinople, 10th April.—Sir Henry he was returned at the general election in pline on all occasions. How many pupils February of that year. He and his colleague have you here? * Right in all. Three are were again returned in 1860, but both lost lions and five are lionesses. Three of them their seats in 1885. The deceased was at are about eight years old, and were born in as Under Secretary of State for India a but I consider my own personal strength post which he had held since January 1883 equal to that of one of the young animals. —having proved very heavy for hirs. After How is it that when you are so much and inderesting in the continent for engaged with one or two of them the others 2. Tantasavuaz, in the shade in degrees, some time whence he returned recently in do not seize the opportunity of springing Tribe have had an engagement with the much improved health. He was next of upon you? I suppose they are too much Dervishes, near Dongola; and, after severe the firm of Crosses, Winkworth & Co., cot. afraid of me to do anything of the kind. Befighting, completely defeated the latter, ten spinners, Bolton and Manchester, and sides, I continually seep my eye upon the 100, reverse, the Dervision will shortly evacuate of Crewdson, Crosses & Co., Manchester inischief lurking in their eyes at once. I

the new Fishery Law. President Cleveland, clare the country independent, or to seek and place my head right in his mouth MARCO POLO AND MODERN EXPLORERS.

London, 9th April. It is reported that life time (and especially during the last est pressure I should immediately within satisfaction of an old pecuniary claim quarter of a century) in the eastern parts of draw my head. I see you wear, a demanded the cossion of the Island of feeling of self-vindication, as to the times tory attached to that? Yes. That is Tortugus from the Republic, failing which and labour he had spent in the claw of the lioness which attacked me. practice of men and women bathing to tening the lives of foreigners. General gold medals of the Royal Geographical So- the cage she flew at me, and a battle royal Salomon, the President of the Republic, ciety-had been, without exaggeration, at once ensued. I was very much mauled, terious travellers of a later day.

A MODERN SAMSON. (Evening News.)

Those who delight in sport of a dangerous yet exciting character have had their tastes brated lion-tamer, with his uncanny pupils, upon the part of the audience. Then every intropid tamer, whose every motion in the lion's care is watched with the keene t attention. After a performance the other night, our representative had an interview with Mr. Seeth, who, it may be mentioned, is quite a young man, and of decidedly prepossessing appearance, straight as a dart, supple as an ash, and evidently a perfect Hercules in strength. To this may be added a sturdy frame and a handsome their happy possessor the favourable con- OPIUM-New Patna, cash,.... 540 a 5425 sideration of the audience. What nation-Mandalay, 8th April.—On the night of the ality do you claim? I asked. I am Danish considerably more. I know I look older. Can you speak English 7 No not at all. of French, which I have picked up since I have been associated with M. Houcke's think I may say that it has. I have been an animal trainer for the last seventeen years. During this time I have trained On Loudonlions, tigers, leopards, cheetalis, and other fierce beasts. I was only seven years old when I first commenced, my school being a large menagerie kept in Norway and Sweden by my uncle, who himself was a skilful trainer. Is it possible that you never feel the least Not the slightest. I do assure you. may say that I have never known what the word "fear" means, and cannot even imagine it.' When you just now stepped Vienna, March 24.—The Greeks deny into that case, the roars of the infuriated

precated hesitancy, as hesitancy would all I have to deal with at present that that evidence was utterly false? The land he should not be astonished to learn It is reported that the Bulgarian Regents would gain courage, and I should he help (Taken at Messre Falconer & Co.'s Premises, is the evidence of Leung Ayou. He was learned Counsel for the prosecution had that this prosecution itself was instituted are receiving earnest diplomatic advice not less. But such a thing is never likely to to hasten the convocation of the Sobranje ocean. What do you use to keep the BAROMETER 9 A.M. ... 30,060 in a very different position here to what the Chinese Government and gave an ela- the Magistrate but that the prisoners would His Lordship, in summing up, compli- Meanwhile, M. Radoslavoff, the Prime brutes in order? Only a stout whip, which people were in at home, where there borate story as to what had taken place. go before a higher tribunal somewhere else, mented Dr Ho Kai on the great ability he Minister, in his provincial tour, has openly I used to have the was a large supply of ministers to pick and In the course of cross-examination it tran. Could His Worship believe that these men had displayed in conducting the defence, started the question of proclaiming the head of it loaded with load, but I find that now unnecessary. Is this the only weapon of defence you have ever used? doubt of this kind that they should divide prove showed him to be a very different shown to have told a mass of lies? His between the liberty and license of the press, ment is said to be negotiating for a loan of Yes. But in the event of the lions becoming altogether unruly I should use a red-hot iron. Although I have always kept was placed in his hands. Mr. Bondfield myself that a prima facie was made out, trying this case. He also argued that even any one (no matter what the intention of Vienna, March 24 -- I regret to an one handy, I have never had occasion to was sent here to take over his work in case | decided that in the first instance I must without the prisoners calling any evidence | the writer) who published any article which | nounce that her Royal Highness the | use it. Have you ever been bitten ! he (Dr. Chalmers) should break down dur- find out how far the evidence of the wit- for the defence the case of the prosecution tended to destroy the standard of morality - Duchess of Cumberland, who has for Very many in fact that I ness Leung Ayou was to be believed. In had been shown to be false. Even taking and here the standard was not the Chinese some time been showing symptoms of do not remember. At any rate I have Mr Falconer said with regard to that, that taking evidence with regard to that I did away Leung Ayou's evidence, the other but the English standard of morality—was mental derangement, had to be removed about sixty-eight different wounds on Dr. Eitel, with extreme generosity, had not consider it as evidence for the pri- evidence was of a most contradic- guilty of publishing an obscene libel. He on Tuesday afternoon to Professor Liedes- various portions of my body. See here. volunteered to give Mr Bondfield what as somers, but as ovidence arising out of the tory nature and unless all reasonable also read Chief Justice Cockburn's definition of the long, wear My hands are freely marked with the scars, sistance he could should it ever be requir- cross-examination bearing on the reliability doubt as to the prisoners' guilt was tion of an obscene libel and a few months ago the whole of my excluded from His Worship's mind he translation from the introduction to one of of the Duchess' ordinary medical attendant, right arm was torn by the teeth of that big Mr Francis-That is just the class of ought to discharge the men. The question Sir Thomas Wade's books published in Professor Braun, who certified that his lien you saw to-night. What do you use patient could no longer he safely kept at to counteract the poison of these bites His Worship—If I am to decide whether the rich old lady who was robbed or a no- The Jury, after a short retirement, re- her residence in Penzing. A van load of My dresser always has on hand a preparaa prima facie case has been made out, it is torious criminal was not an irrelevant ques- turned a verdict of guilty by a majority furniture for the Duchess' use arrived at tion of carbolic and, about 10 per cent. in Hongkong Observatory, April 27, 1887. the mixture. This I use, and find thorwho was born in 1853, is the daughter of tack you have ever sustained? One by a Mr Goosmann proposed that the Seat- decided that point I will then deal with the to say, that the words Sit To could not His Lordship said the case was one he King Christian IX of Demmark, and sister big lioness in Paris. We fought desperate. be used in the way stated while it was clear- would like to consider before giving judg- of the Empress of Russia, the Princess of Ty for about seven whole minutes, and I Mr Francis again maintained that state- ly shown that they could. He did not ment, He could not help thinking that a Wales and King George of Greece. Sho was terribly mauled. But I conquered ments made in cross-examination as to the think the Court would give credence to any difference should be made between Wong was married to the Duke of Cumberland in in the end, thoroughly threshing bor, and This was seconded by Mr Duncan and credibility of the witness could not accord- witnesses produced by people who had re- Shu Tong, who was brought before the December, 1878, and has issue two sons she died seven days after from the effects. During the encounter we rolled over and over, but I generally contrived On Sunday morning (the 20th March), to get on the top, and thus gained the Mr John Kynaston Cross, late member of mastery. Oh, that was a fight, I can assure Parliament for Bolton and Under Secretary vou! So I should imagine. I suppose you of State for India, was found dead in his never can tell the character of your lion until bed-room at Fernelough, Heaton, Bolton, you have trained him for some time ! where he had committed enicide. It is un- And not always then. They are thorough derstood that Mr Cross went to bed in his ly feline, being terribly fickle and uncertain usual health on Saturday night. On Sun- in temperament. Some days they are quite

wardrobe and then, it is surmised, stood now, how he refused to obey me, until I upon a stool, fastened the cord round his used the whip very freely? Well, this is that time in indifferent health, his duties Paris. They are, of course, very strong, and Bolton. He has left a widow three am I need scarcely tell you, always on the Scale.

sons and three daughters.

AR JOHN BRUGHT ON THE IRLSH QUESTION.

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as far as I can: How horrible | Suppose he were to snap those jaws together, where Colonel Yule lectured a few days ago on would your head be then ? 'I suppose very the subject of Marco Polo. In concluding, speedily, inside the lion's stomach; but Colonel Yule said that, looking back on there is very little fear of that, as I hold the course of exploration during his own his jaws very firmly, and at the slightonly travelling in Marco Polo's footsteps; and in the encounter the brute broke off most certainly illustrating by their journeys her claw in my arm, and this piece I wear his geographical notices. They had been is the same. A report got about that I was tracking his steps and consciously or uncon- dead, and it is, indeed, a wonder that I clously throwing light upon his brief chapters. was not Upon what do you feed And yet what a vast area which Marco Polo your pupils? Raw meat. They each had described from personal knowledge re- have about 80 lbs once a day, at 11 a.m., mained even now outside and beyond the as soon as our working rehearsals are overexplorations and narratives of these meri- They also receive about one litre or two quarts-of milk a day. They would not touch any meat that was not full of blood. At what price do you value the lions at present in your possession? Well, the largest I value, at the least, at 8,000 france. or £320. He is African by birth, and is a splendid specimen of his breed. The other I value the entire collection at about 50,000 france, or £2,000, exclusive of the eage, which cost 6,000 francs, or £240. Are the animals long lived? They live in this climate about twenty-five years, but in Africa at least ten years longer if not more. Have you travelled far with your show? Nearly all over the European continent and I have performed before many crowned heads. This is the first time I have ever visited England, however, And how do you like us! Very much, indeed, and I hope to come back here to you some day -not far honce. I leave on March 21, and go to Paris, where I open with the hippodrome in April; and thence I go to America and Brazil, and possibly other places. have received many brilliant offers from all parts of the world, some of which it is my

intention to accept. · Unotations. Honokone, April 27. New Bensres, cash, ... 5021 New Malwa, cash,.... 525 Allowance, Taels..... 16 Old Malwa, cash, 550/60 Allowance, Taols 32/56 Persian, Oily, cash ... 370/450 Allowance, Taois 32 Persian, Paper tied ... 400/500 Allowance, Taels 32/48 Exchange. Honokona, April 27. On demand, 3/2 30 days' sight. 4 months sight. Documentary, 4 months' sight, 3/25 On Paris— On demand. Oredits, 4 months sight, ... 4.05 On New York---On demand, ... Credits, 60 days' sight, On Bombay— Temperature. Queen's Road. THERMOMETER 9 M. 1 P.M. ... 4 P.M. 74 Do. (Wet bulb) 9 a. x. 68 Do. 1 P.M. 70 4 P.M. 69 Maximum Do. Minimum over night METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. AT 4 P.M. TO DAY. Barometer 29.94 Temperature . . . 71 Humidity 79 Direction of Wind Force .

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> W. DOSERCK. Government Astronomer. Hongkong Observatory, April 27. 1. Banomarun; reduced to Ba degrees Pabren-

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perature and the humidity are moderate and the weather is cloudy. Government Astronomer. Hongkong Observatory, April 26.

Sea and are slight in the North. The tem-

1. Bluomeres, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenbeit, and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredthe. 2. Tampunarous, in the shade in degrees, 8. Historry, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being 4. Dissertion or Winn, to two points.

6. Braze or Welthen, b blue sky, a detached slouds, & drizaling, rain, f tog, g gloomy, h hall, I lightning, o overcest, p passing showers, q squally, v rain, s anow, t thunder, v visibility, 7. Rus, in inches, tenthe and hundredths.

5. Force of Wind, seconding to Beaufort

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilities the fosition of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at

Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the

Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Groom Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office. 4. From Hubbur Mister's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. '9. From Kellett's Island to North Point. 10. Kowloon Wharves. 11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor	Captain.	Flag R	and g.	Tous.	Date of Arriva		Consignces or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers		· .		.		1				
Activ	. 3 b	Raysbook	Dan	str.	268	April 2	27	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Haiphong -	To-morrow
Anchises	5 d	Lарадо	Brit.		1304	April 2	26	Butterfield & Swire		
Anton		Aereboe	Ger.	atr.	396	April	14	Wieler & Co.	Hoihow, &c.	K'loon Dock
Arratoon Ancar	5 c	:Olifeut	Brit.	atr.	1392	April	27	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.		
Benvenue	Ծ հ	Thomson	Brit.	str.	1497	April	27	Gibb, Livingston & Co.		
Obafoo	: 3 c	iHuches :	.: Brit.	str.	820	April	27	Butterfield & Swire	Sydney	29th inst.
Chelydra	7 (Peace	Brit.	BLT.				Gibb, Livingston & Co.		To-morrow
Ohina	പ്പ് (.itxer	str.				Siemssen & Co. P. M. S. S. Co.	Y'hama & SanF'cisco	
City of New York	3. K	Searle	Amer	. str.				Siemssen & Co.		Wanchai
Crusader		Dancon	Reit	str.				Adamson, Bell & Co.		Patent slip
Danish Monarch Deuteros	7 21	Esthione	Clar	str.				Ed. Schellhass & Co.		3 4
Diamante	· 5	McCoalin	Brit.		514	April	$2\check{4}$	Russell & Co.	Amoy & Manila	To-morrow
Glaucus	<u>၂</u> န	Hannah	Brit	str.	1387	April	26	Butterfield & Swire	Amoy and Shanghai	
Glenfruin		Norman	Brit.	str.	1936	April	23	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Glenogle	์ ก็	Duke	Brit.	str.	2000	April	26	Jardine. Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	To-day
Haiphong	5 l	Ashton	Brit.	str.	1122	April	26	Douglas Steamship Co.	Coast Ports	To-morrow
Kaisow	8	Thomson	Brit.	str.	1934	April	24	Arnhold, Kirberg & Co.		
Lennox	8 (Thearle	Brit.	str.	520	April	24	Adamson, Bell & Co.		Se 19 17 18
Marcia	3 -	c McIntosh	Brit.	Btr.	1060	April	25	Takasima Colliery Agency	D	DOIL :
l Mario	4	oschaoter	.iuer.	str.	704	April	26	A. R. Marty	Haiphong	29th inst.
Ningchow	5 ·	c Castle	.Brit.	str.	1735	April	16	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Hoillow	To-morrow
Partridge	3	c Staver	, Brit.	81 1.]	254	April	20	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Тотпом	AU-IIIOAIUW
Phra Chom Klao	3 !	Watton	Brit.	str.	TOTT	April	20	Yuen Fat Hong	Swatow & Bangkok	To-morrow
Phra Chula Chom Kl	20 2-1	Lightwood	Brit.	str.		April	23	Yuen Fat Hong H. K. & W. Dock Co.	DWARDW CI DUMERON	TO THOUSE
Pilot Fish	0	Stopani	Brit.	tug. str.	1560	Anvil	26	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Propontis	Q	o Duntony	E'ch	str.	470	April	21	Carlowitz & Co.	Haiphong	To-morrow
Sea Gull	6	of Loghirol	Ame	str.	48	Tabara		China Traders Insurance Co		
Tanais	5	c Paul	Fch.	str.	1149	April	24	Messageries Maritimes		
Tsinan	j	h Hunt	Brit.	str.	1459	April	26	Butterfield & Swire		
Vortigern	!3	clBrown	.!Brit.	str.	873	April	19	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Saigon	To-morrow.
Yangtsé	5	c Lormier	"rcn.	str.	2371	April	26	Messageries Maritimos	Marseilles, &c.	To morrow
Yangtsze	3	h Schulz	. Brit.	str.	814	April	26	Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
								[19] 작용병 - 원생활		
Sailing Vessels							:			
*munhituita	ß	k Anderson	Brit	sh.	1707	Feb.	23	Carlowitz & Co.	Havre & London	
Anton Gunther	6	ki	!Cier.	bure.	441	ren.	. 11		**************	Sold
Endore	13	e Folton	Brit.	- bue.	11148	April	. ZV) Uniness		
Fifeshiro	4	c Greig	Brit.	bqe,	1318	April	22	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
F. H. Drawa	5	c Rothbart]Ger.	bqe.	§ 623	Mar.	, 25	Urder		
Hattie E. Tapley	5	k Telfa	Brit,	bqe.	907	Mar.	31	[Captain	r 1	
Heinrich	7	h Bannau	Ger.	bqe,	923			Carlowitz & Ca	London & Hamburg	3
J. H. Bowers	5	c Plum	Ame	r. bqe.	697	Jau.	Z	Gonsalves & Co.	New York	
John C. Potter	···· 5	c Ourtis	Ame	r. 811.	1182	Dec.		Urder	Men Tora	
Lilian	ဗို	c Holland	·· Haw	. bge.	340	April	10	Chinese	New York	
Manhegan	ð	h Vialla	,ਹਸਪ ਜਨਰਾਸ਼	uqe.	1143	A rapil	29	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	ATVIT A VIA	
Marianue	ō	o Rofe	Mon	u bas	760	April	2	Captain		
Mercury	o	o Panno	Ama	r nuger			13	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Honolulu	
Ponshaw	ช	Parker	Brit	bqe.	I			Lane, Crawford & Co.		1342 3
Snartan	4	c Cairns	Ame					Gonsalves & Co.	Callao	
Swan	7	klO'Keefe	Ame	r. bg.	279	· _	_	l Blackhead & Co.		1. 34 6
Tarapaca	3	c McArthur	Brit	, bge,	494	April		Chinese		
Wandering Minstre	15	k	., Brit	, bqtin.	. 366	J • · · · -		Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	***************************************	Sold
Welhelm Weyer	4	k Mudbrodt	Ger.	batin.	. 294	April	20	OSiemssen & Co.		
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Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

			· · · · · · ·			
Name,	* Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
A.T. amilian	despatch-vessel	1400			Captain R. Blair Maconochie	Hongkong
Alacrity	double-screw fron frigate	6010	10	1330	Capt. Robert Hastings Harris	Hongkong
Andacious*		2380	14	2340	Captain A. T. Powlett	Johore
Champion	corvette	2380	14	2610	Captain L. C. Keppel	Johore
Oleopatra	corvette	4.65	4	470	LieutCom. H. H. Boteler	Canton
Cockchafer	gunboat	2380	14	2590	Capt. Seymour Dacres	Nagasaki
Constance	corvette	940	4	920	LieutCommander Leah	Yokchama
Daring	aloop	360	3	340		In reserve
Esk	gunboat	1 '	4	470	LieutCom. H. R. Adams	Singapore
Espoir	gunboat	465		460	LieutCom. Denison	Shanghai
Firebrand	gunboat	455.	4	1. 1	Captain Chas. J. Balfour	Johore
Heroine	corvette	1420	8	1470	Captain M. J. Dunlop	Hongkong
Leander	cruiser	3750	10	5000	Captain at a Duniop	
Linnet	gun-vessei	756	5	1050	Commander W. Marrack	On a cruise
Merlin	gunboat	430	4	430	LieutCom. W. M. Maturin	Hongkong
Midgo	hulk	603		<u> </u>		Hongkong
Rambler	Bloop	830	3	690	Commander W. U. Moore	Amoy
Sapphire	corvette	1970	12	2360	Captain R. G. Kinahan	Swatow
Satellite	cruiser	1420	8	1400	Captain Arthur H. Alington	Singapore
Solent	torpedo mining launch	150		· . —		Hongkong
Swift	gun-vessel	756	ō	1010	Commander A. C. B. Bromley	Hongkong
Tweed	gunboat	360	3	340		In reserve
Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	5157	.14		Commodore Maxwell	Hongkong
Wanderer	ganboat	- 925	4	750	Captain Orford Churchill	Johore
	turret-ship	2750	4	1450		Hongkong
Wivern	outran-purh	400	1 7	520	Tions Com Chan K Hone	Johona

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Vesey Hamilton, Commander-in-Chief.

For H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Mea-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons	Guns.	H.P.	Captain,	Where at.
A	Spanish cruiser	1908			Captain D. E. Zulnaga	Manila
Aragon	French gunboat	470	4.	450	Commander Rupe	Yckohama
Aspic	Austro-Hungarian cruiser	1430			Cantain Frant Muller	Hongkong
Aurora	U. S frigate	3900	14	1200	Harahin of Admiral Chandler	en route Hongkong
Brooklyn Comète	French gunboat	475	. 4	450	Lieut. Commander Noirot	Haiphong
	U. S. corvette	1375	6	900	Commander Jewe	On a cruite
Essex		445	2	270	Lieut Commander Fouet	Haiphong
Jaguar	French gunboat	485	4	425	Oaptain Nepv	Haiphong
Lutia	French gunboat	1900	7	1170	Commander Merrill Miller	Yokohama
Marion	U. S. corvette	1370	6	1470	Commander H. Glass	Yokohama
Monocacy .	U. S. sloop	455	7	60	Commander Moltsoff	Corea
Mordj	Russian gunboat		4 %	600	Captain von Hoven	Shanghai
Nautilus	German gun-vessel	755	9	250	Captain Zarino	Singapore
Nayezdink	Russian cruiser	1330	12	1150	Capt. Courtis	Naganaki
Omaha	U. S. corvette	2400	6	500	Lieut Com. Thomas Nelson	Nagasaki
Palos	U. S. gunboat	420	O .			Tonkin
Parseval	French gunboat	-		400	Lieut,-Commander Poidlone	Haiphong
Pluvier	French gunboat	540		420	Captain Veron	Yokohams
Primauguet	French cruiser	2200	15	2270	Captain F. Grevalt	Tonkin
Rapido	Italian orgiser	1458	5		Callain Danhadad Andreda	Hongkong
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	540	— :		Captain Raphael d'Andrade	
Robr	Russian cruiser	1100	-	eckses.	Captain Menschicoff	Hongkong
Sivotch	Rossian cruiser	900	1	1000	Commander Suctirieff	Nagasaki
Sobol	Russian gunboat	455	7	60	Commander Boyle	Japan
Tamega	Portuguese gunboat	610	, 5	. 600	Commander P. L. Gouveia	Limour
Turenne	French frigate	5880	12	4250		Japan
Vestnik	Russian corrette	1830		/	Ciptain Lang	Hongkong
Vipare	French gunboat	480	×4.	425	Capt, de Maroller	Amoy
Vostock	Russian gunboat	1333.45			Commander Matchonsky	Viadirontock
Wolf	German gunboat	884	6	840	Captain Josselike	Foodbow

SHIPPING IN CHINA, JAPAN, PHILIPPINES, AND SIAM WATERS.

WHAMPOA. Fooksang Brit., etr. str. Shanghai Chi. Fushun Brit, Glenartney

AMOY.

str. Hongkong

str. Shanghai

In port on April 19, 1887.

MERCHANT STEAMERS. British Bellerphon

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Peking

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Brit. bqe. Archos Christian Ger. bge.

Br. 3m. sc. L'Avvenire

FOODHOW. In port on April 16, 1887. MERCHANT STEAMERS. British

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Gor. bqe. Wagrien Amer. sch.

SHANGHAJ.

In port on April 24, 1887. MERCHANT STRAMERS. British British Bokhara Chow-chow-foo British French Marseilles Djemnah

Hangchow British Ingeborg German Ingo Chinese Kiang-kwan British. Hankow, &c. British Sarpedon

Ger. bqe.

Amer. sh.

Norw. bqe.

British

Store Nordiske Danish French Yangtse Chinese Hankow, &c. Yungching: Chinese Hankow, &c. Yung-ning MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Amer. sh. Antelope Ger. bge. Erlkonig

F. C. Sieben

Hagerstown

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Brit. sh. L. Burrill NAGASAKI. In port on April 13, 1887.

Kozaki Maru Japan, bqe.

УОКОНАМА. In port on April 16, 1887.

Brit, bqe. Anamba Ger. bge. Anna Bergu Brit. bqe. Archimede Amer. sch. Diana Ger. cut. Fearless. Amer. sh. L. Schepp Brit. sh. Narcissus

Rose

R. Parsons

HIOGO. In port on April 19, 1887

Ger. boe. Galveston Brit. sh. Hallgerda

Br. Sm. sch.

Amer. bqe.

MANILA. in post on April 20, 1887. Brit. sh. Brit. sh. Erl Oranville Brit. bqe. Fildenhope Norw. sh. Hangerund Henry Failing Amor. sh.

J. T. Berry Amer. sh. Kepler Ger. bge. Lucile Amer. sh. Martha Davis Ger. sch. Siam. bge. Manuel Mindoro Amer, sh. R. L. T. Brit. sch.

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Brit. sh.

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Ger. bqe. Orient CEBU.

In Port on March 19, 1887. Ger. bqe. Contaur Brit. bqe. Emma Marr

BANGKOK. In port on April 16, 1887. Aurora

Siam, bqe. Advance Batavia Brit. bqa. Siam. bge. Siam. bg. Doretta Siam. bg. Golish Ger. bge. Hermann Siam. sch. Kong Lee Siam. soh. Meridian

Young Siam Siam, bqe.

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